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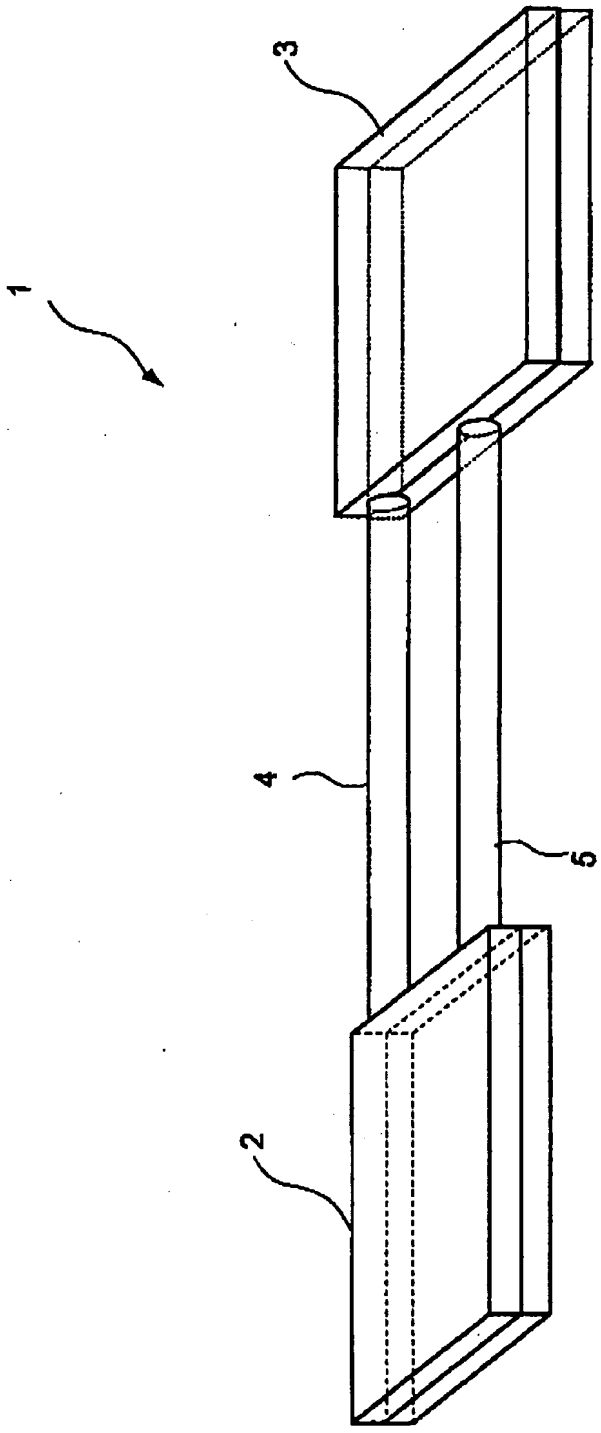

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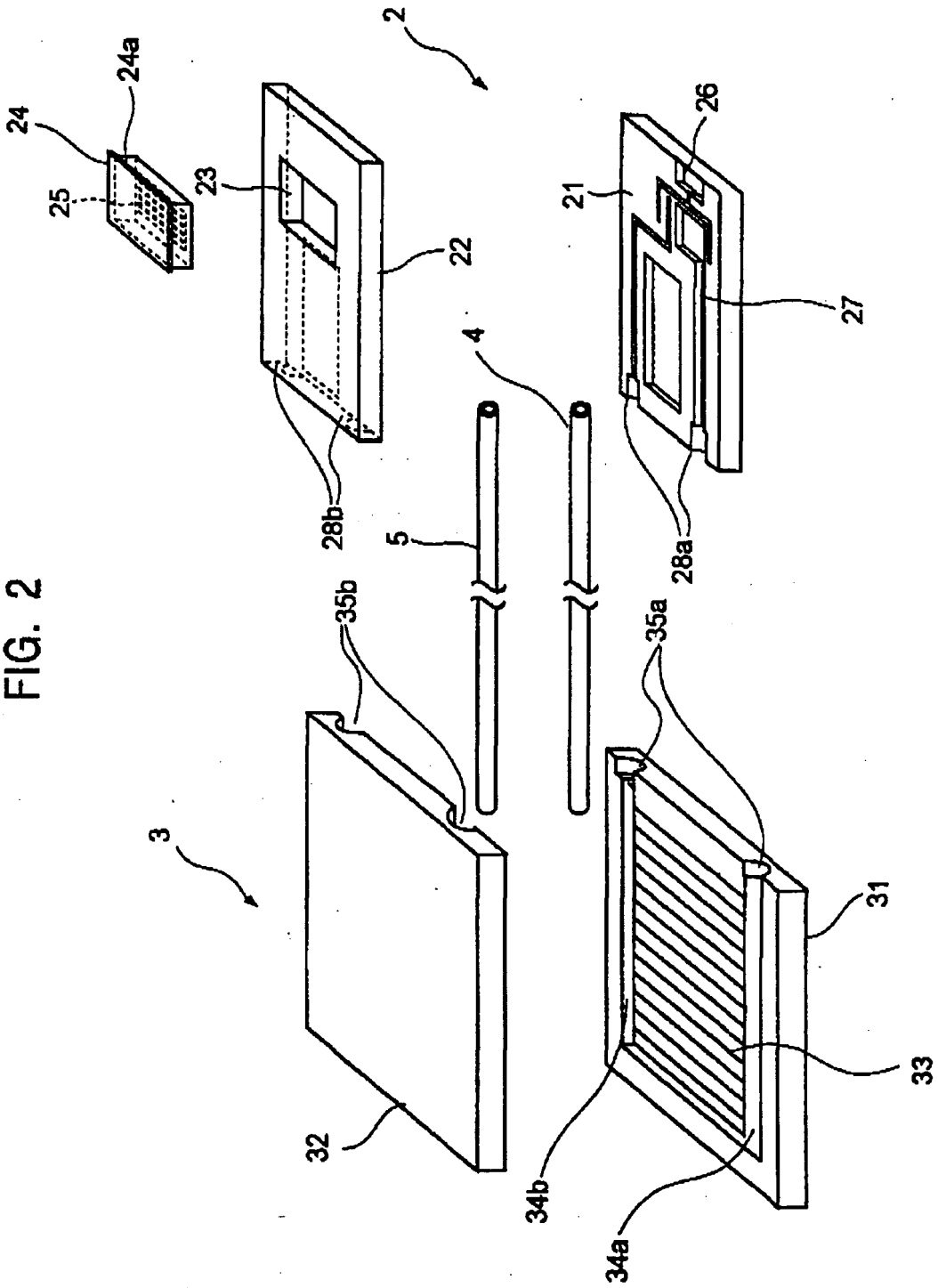

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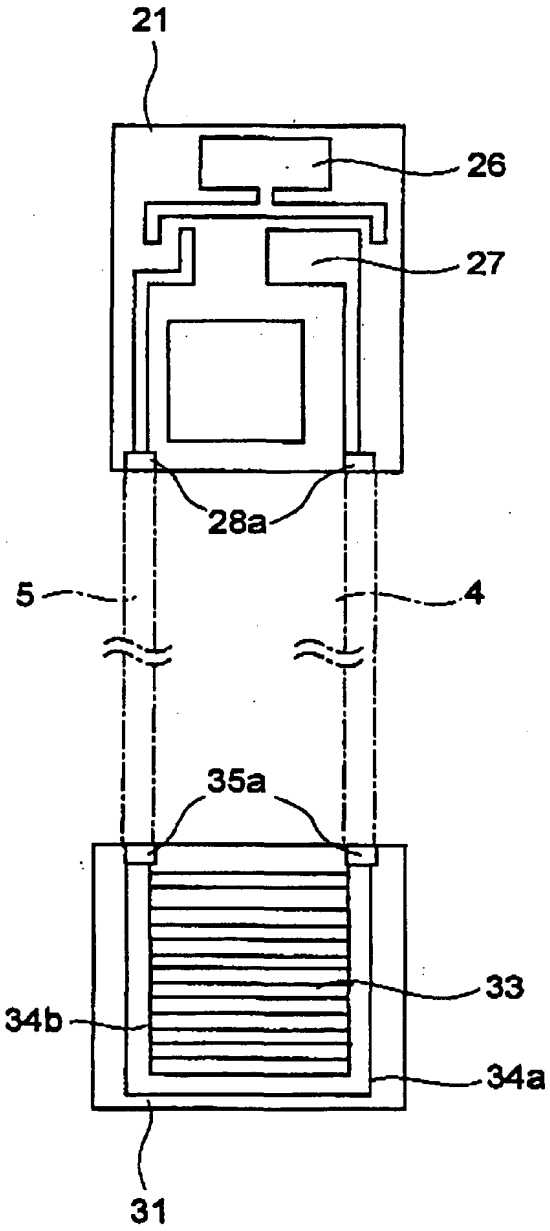

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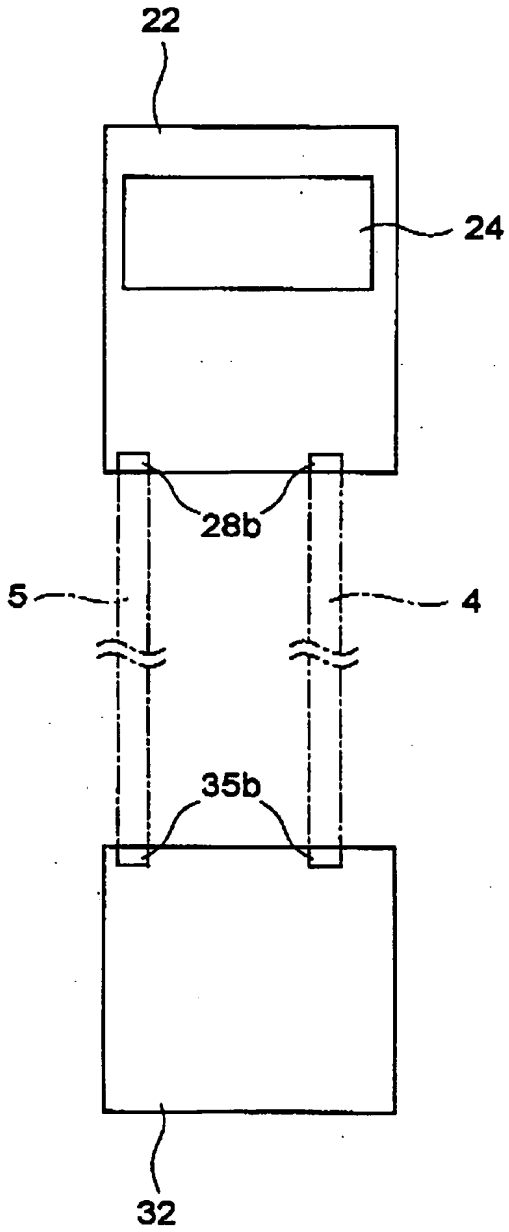

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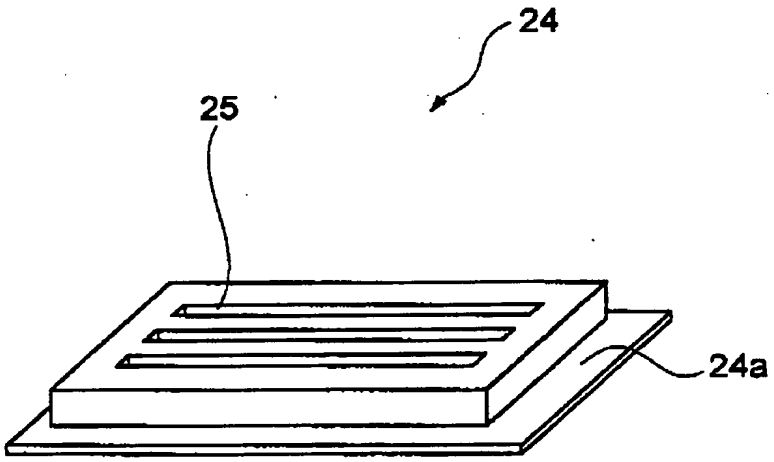

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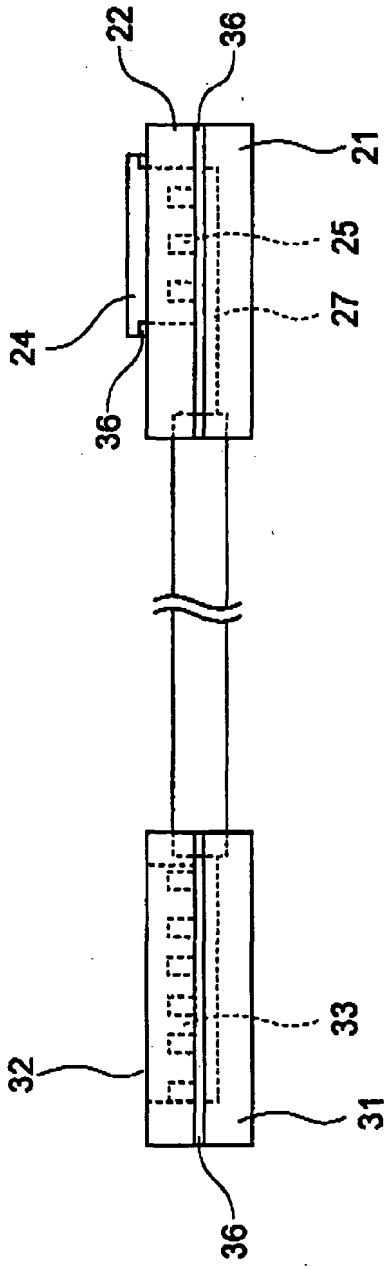

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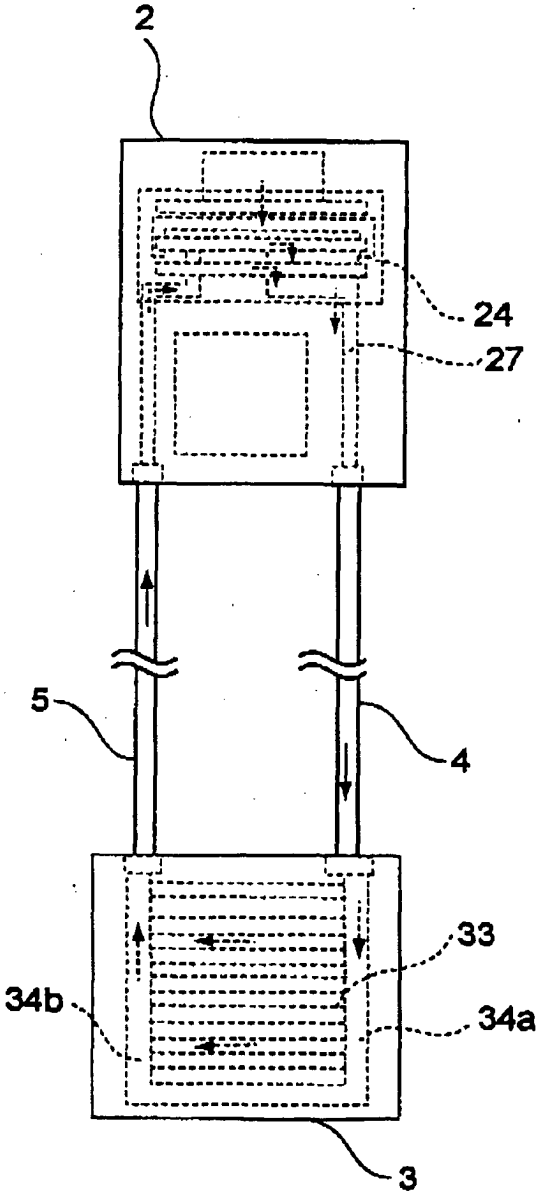

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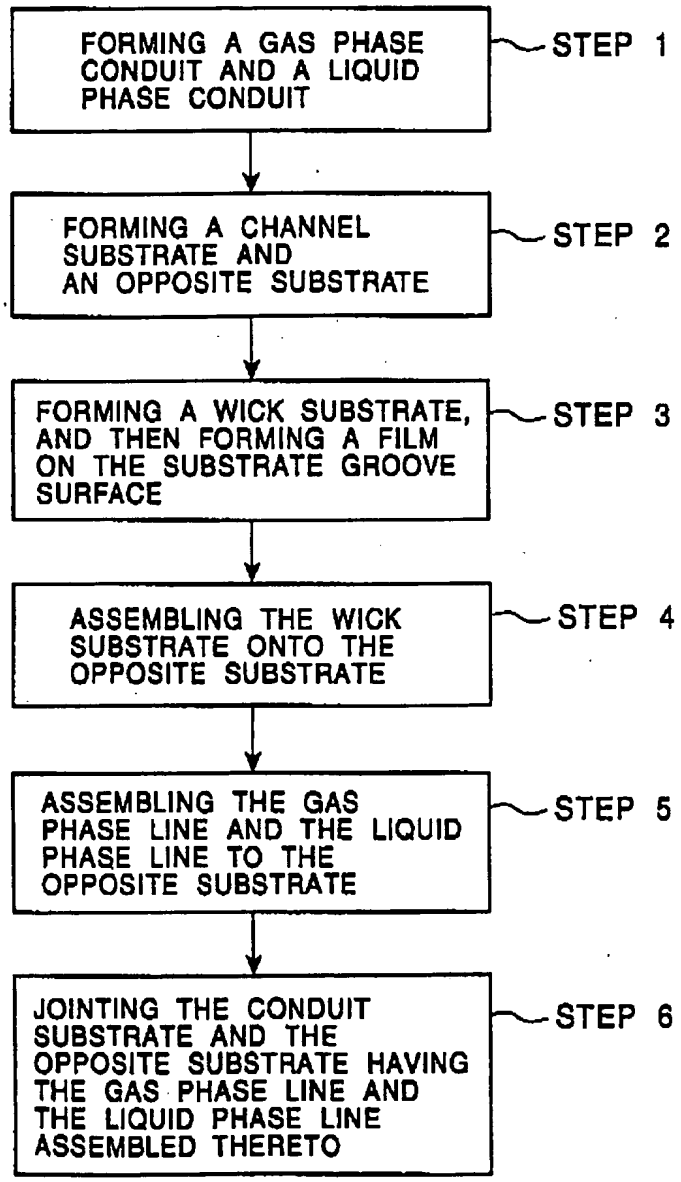
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FORMING A CHANNEL SUBSTRATE AND AN OPPOSITE SUBSTRATE
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ASSEMBLING THE WICK SUBSTRATE ONTO THE OPPOSITE SUBSTRATE
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ASSEMBLING THE GAS PHASE LINE AND THE LIQUID PHASE LINE TO THE OPPOSITE SUBSTRATE
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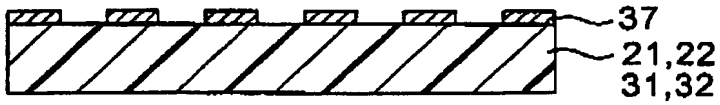

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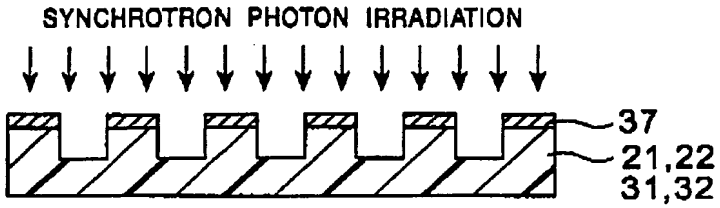

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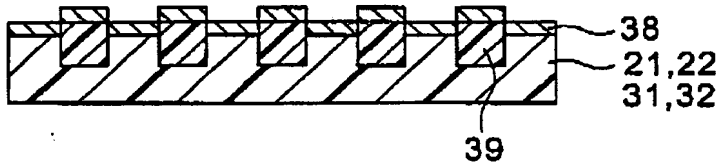

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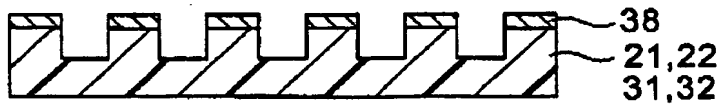

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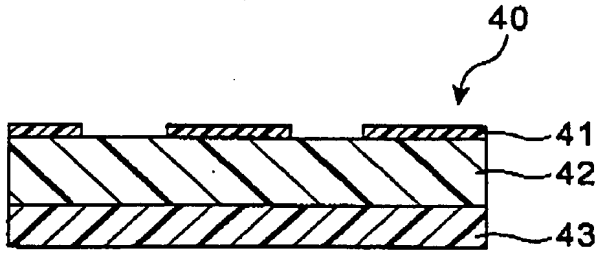

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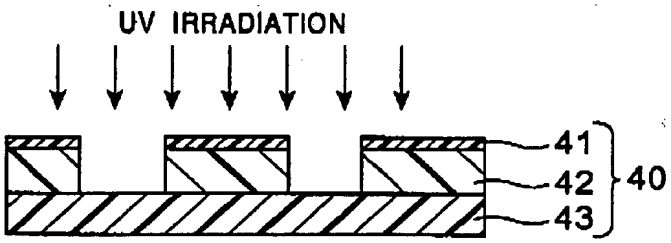

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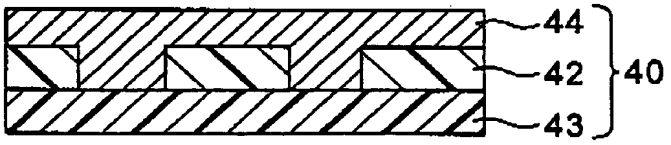

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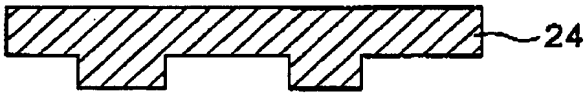

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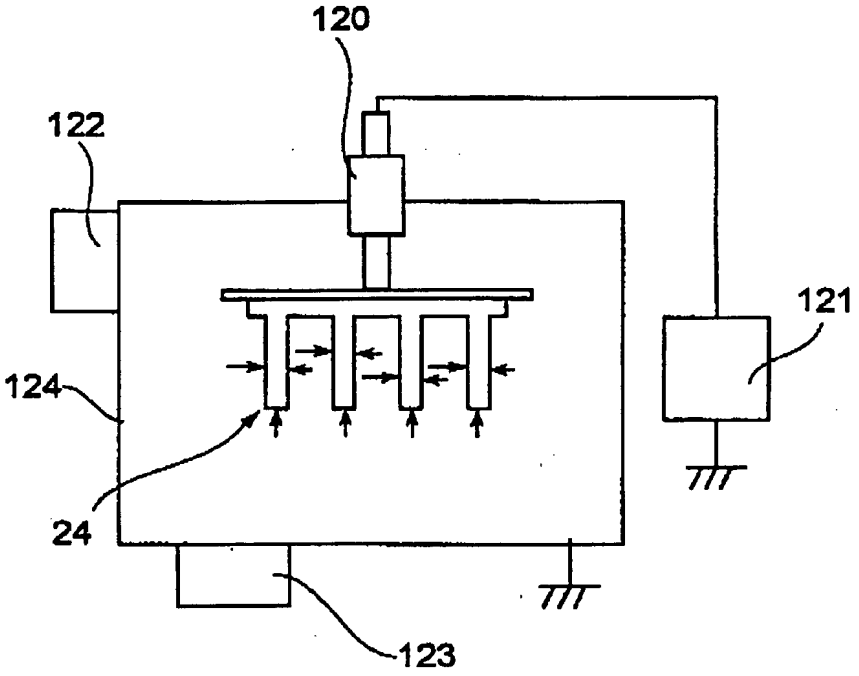

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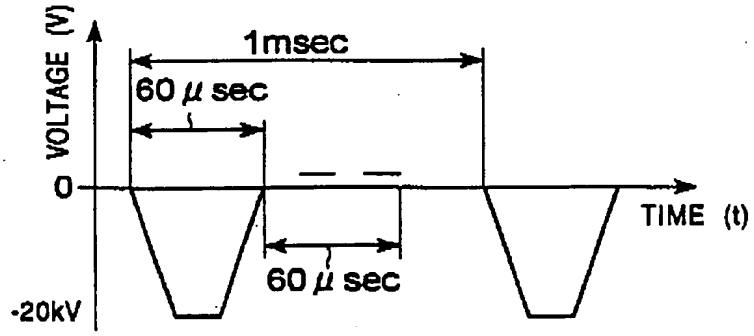

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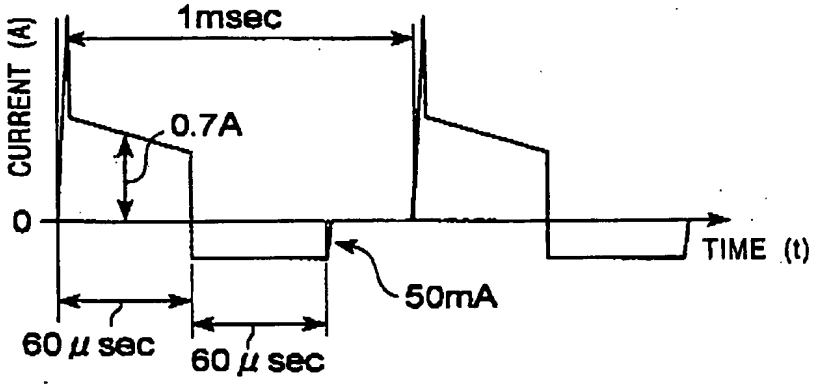

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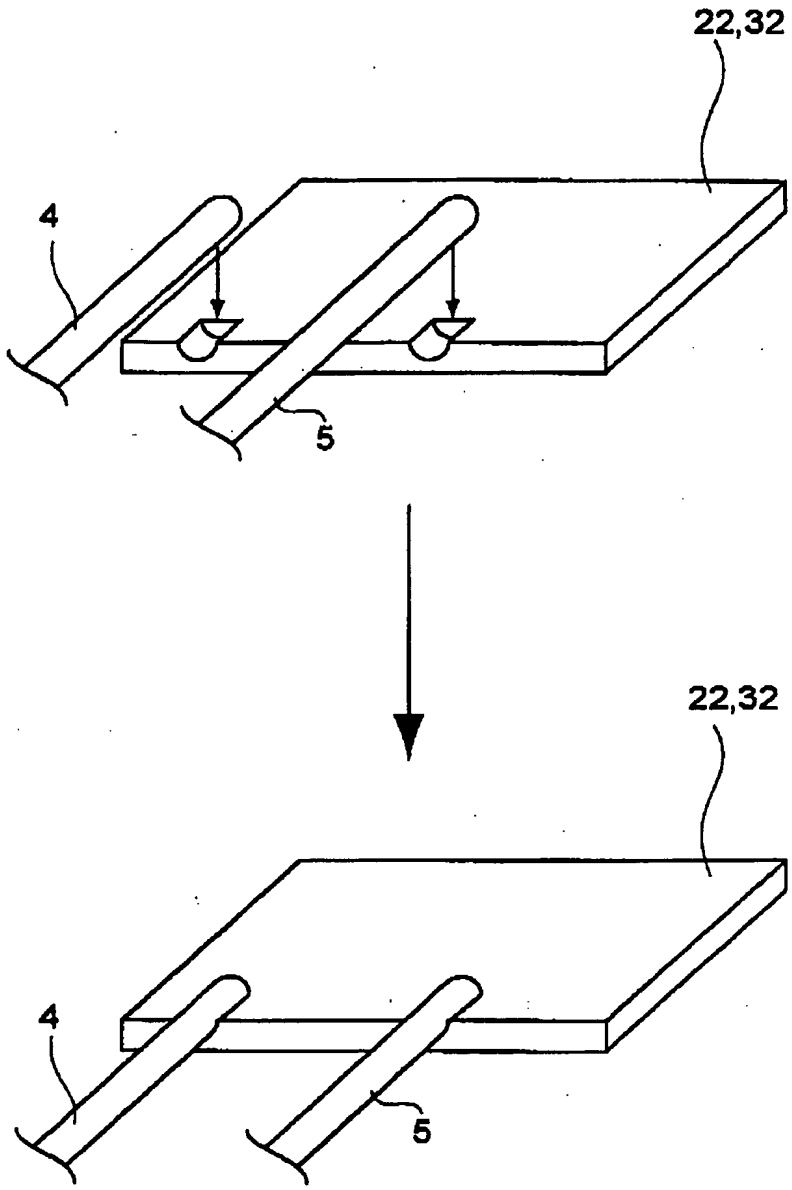

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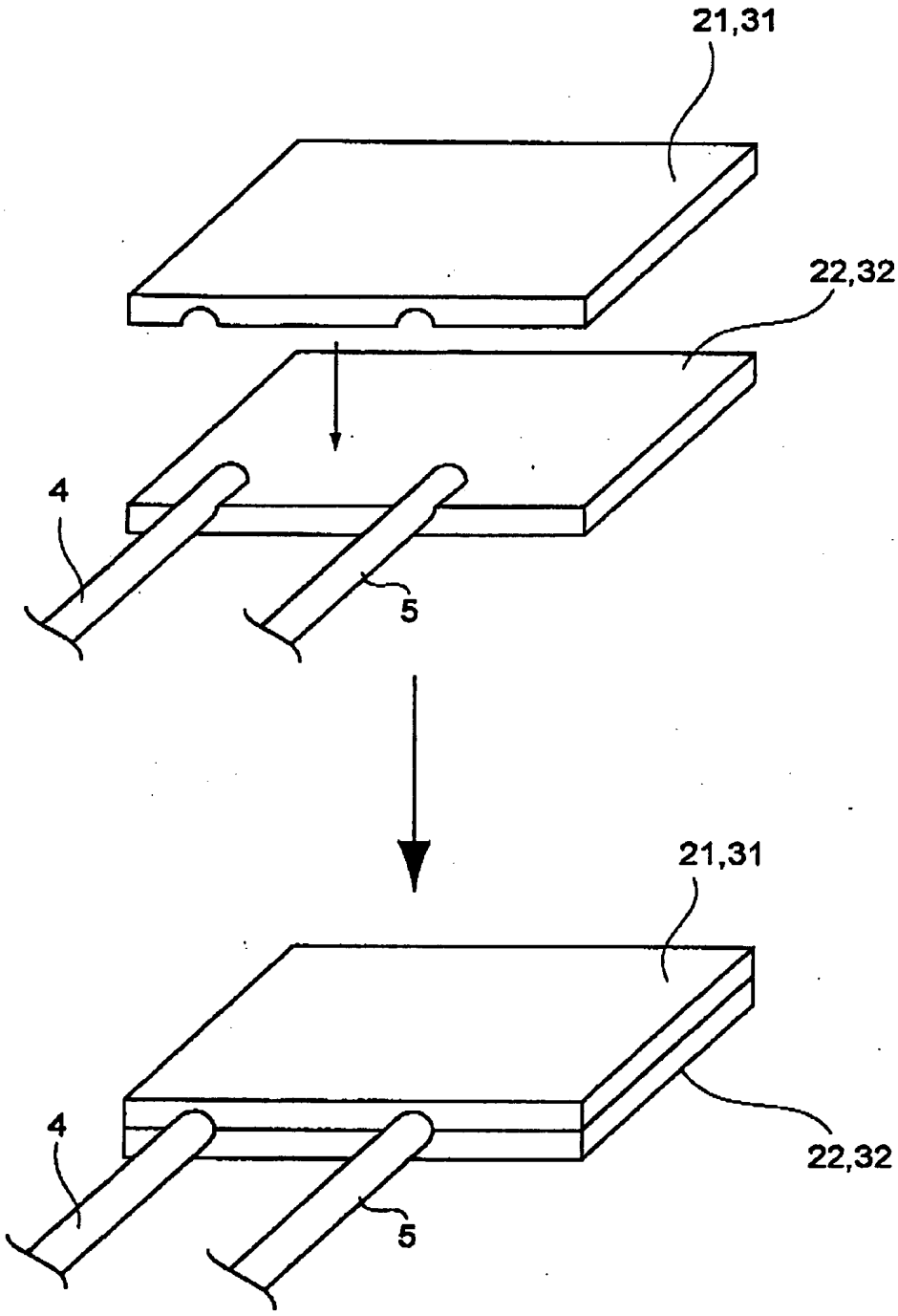

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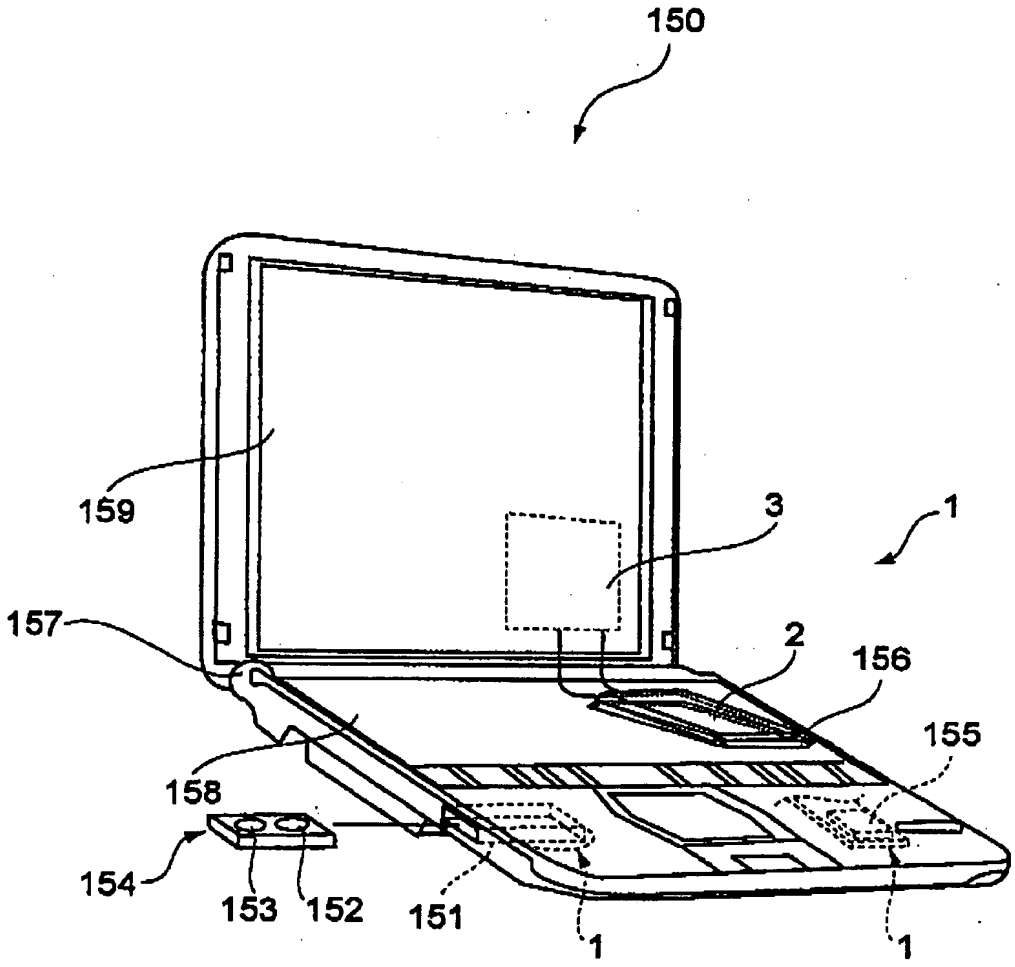

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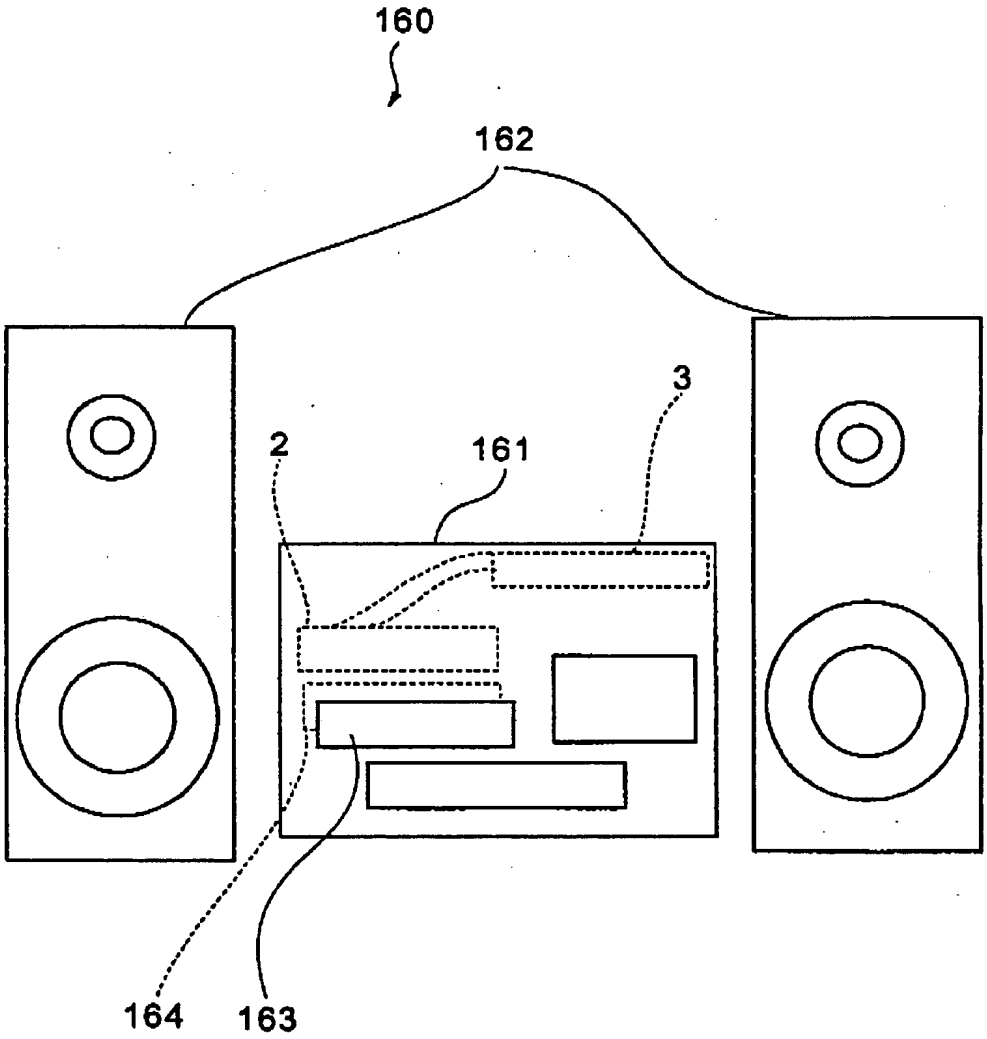

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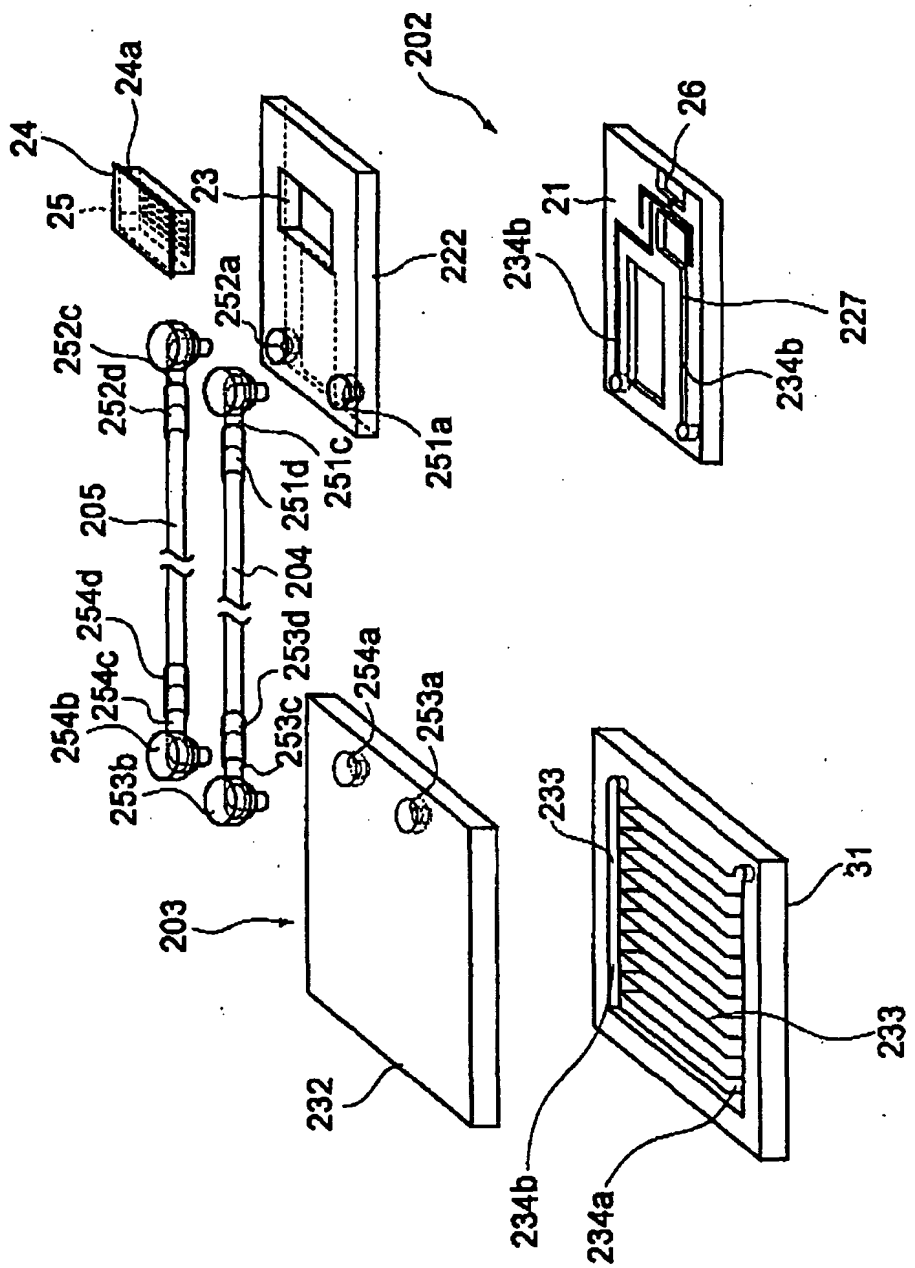
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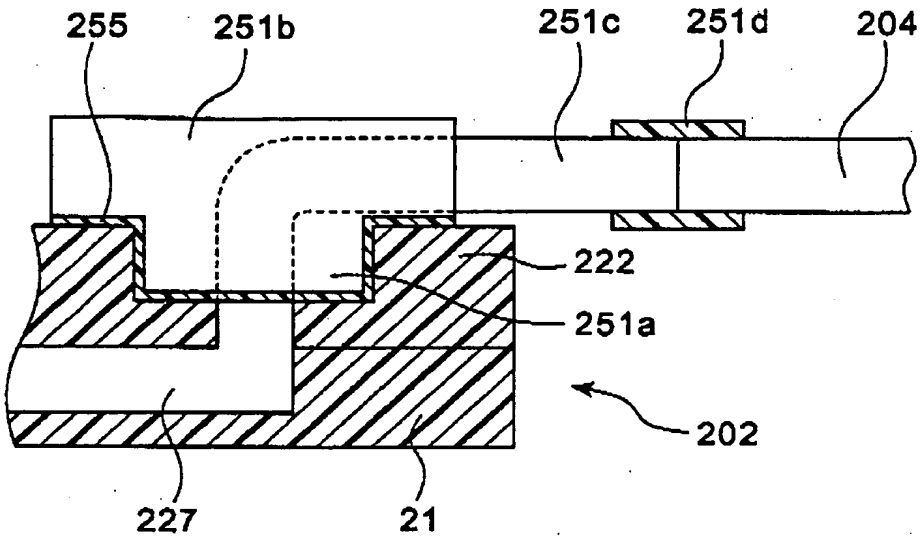

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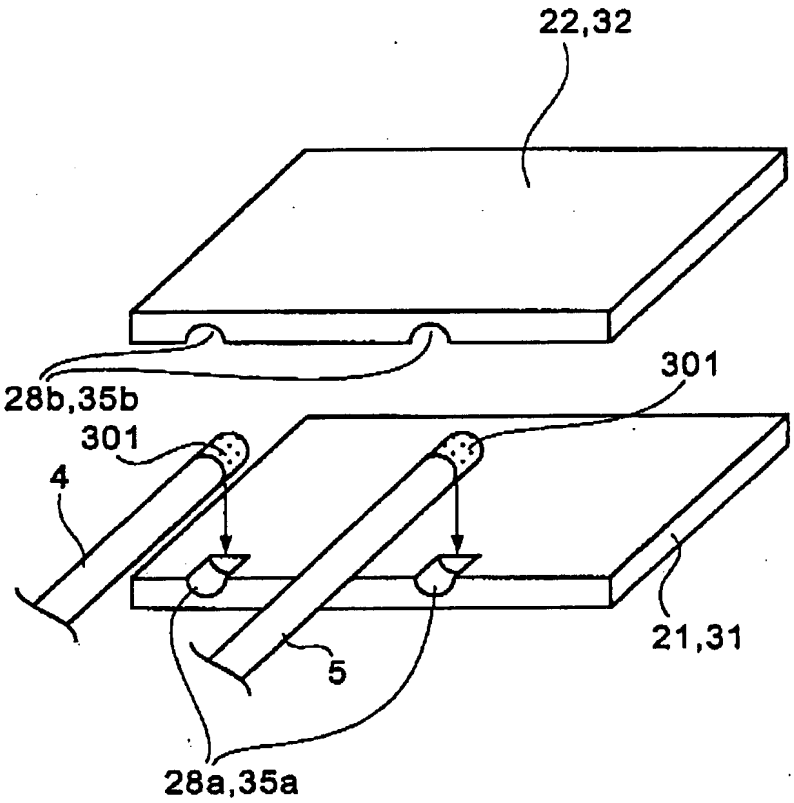

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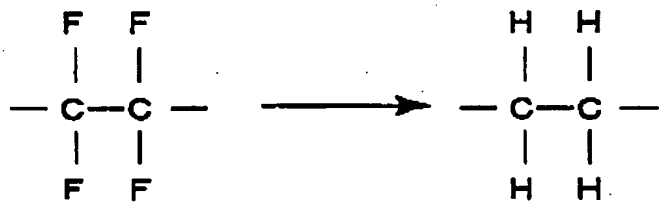

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